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David Taylor Miracle Rock Mining and Research 400 South 200 East P. O. Box 76 Emery, Utah 84522

Subject: Increased Surety Required, Miracle Rock Mining and Research, The Rockland Mine,

M/015/0040, Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Taylor:

By letter dated February 6, 2014, the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining required an increase in the reclamation surety for The Rockland Mine from \$130,428.00 to \$169,026.85. This increase was to have been received by May 1, 2014.

Please submit the increased surety no later than October 10, 2014. Continued approval to conduct mining operations requires maintenance of adequate reclamation surety, so failure to do so could result in issuance of a cessation order requiring that mining operations cease and that the site be immediately reclaimed.

Please contact the minerals program bonding coordinator, Penny Berry, at 801-538-5291 or by e mail at pennyberry@utah.gov for information about submitting the increased surety.

Thank you for your cooperation. Please contact Wayne Western at 801-538-5263 if you have questions regarding this letter.

Paul Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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